

REMARKS

The Office Action mailed May 22, 2008 has been received and reviewed. Claims 1-45 were previously cancelled. Claims 46-81 were pending in the application. Claims 46-80 are allowed. Claim 81 is rejected and has been cancelled. New claim 82 has been added. No new matter has been added. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the application as presented herein.

35 U.S.C. § 112, First Paragraph Claim Rejection

Claim 81 stands rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, first paragraph, based on a disclosure which is not enabling. Steps critical or essential to the practice of the invention, but not included in the claim is not enabled by the disclosure.

Applicant has cancelled claim 81.

35 U.S.C. § 112, Second Paragraph Claim Rejection

Claim 81 stands rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which applicant regards as the invention.

Applicant has cancelled claim 81.

New Claim 82

New claim 82 has been added. Support for new claim 82 is found in Applicant's as-filed specification at least in original claim 28, Fig. 2 and in Applicant's allowed claim 46. No new matter has been added.

Allowable Subject Matter

Claims 46 through 80 are allowed.


CONCLUSION

Claims 46-80 are allowed. New claim 82 has been added. Claims 46-80 and 82 are in condition for allowance, and an early notice thereof is respectfully solicited. Should the Examiner determine that additional issues remain which might be resolved by a telephone conference, he is respectfully invited to contact Applicant's undersigned attorney.

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Respectfully submitted,

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